Rohtak during the last 5 years, as readily available with New Bank of India, is given in Annexure [*See* Appendix CXLIII, Annexure No. 152]. The Bank does not have a system of centrally compiling the legal charges paid within the discretion of the Branch Managers for legal work. Collection of such dispersed information is likely to involve time and expenditure which may not be commensurate with the results achieved.

(d) The Bank has reported that it has not lost any case in Rohtak District during the last 5 years.

(e) Does not arise.

Advocates engaged by Insurance Company in Rohtak

4010. SHRI JERLIE E. TARIANG: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the advocates with their details of practice at the Bar, who are panel advocates of each Insurance Company in Rohtak (Haryana) with the number of cases marked to them yearwise for the last 5 years;

(b) the total amount as professional fees paid to each of the Advocate yearwise by each Insurance Company in Rohtak to their panel Advocates during the last five years; and

(c) what steps the Government intends to take for the equitable distribution of cases among the panel advocates in Rohtak?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI JANARDHAN POOJARI): (a) and (b) The advocates who are engaged by Insurance Companies are empanelled in their Regional Offices. There is no Regional Office of any Insurance Company in Rohtak and the information sought for is not compiled separately as far as Rohtak is concerned.

(c) As far as possible, every Insurance Company makes efforts to distribute cases equitably by rotation to advocates in their panel, except in the contingency where either an advocate is not available at the time the case is marked or special expertise is required to handle a particular case.

सिनेमा पर वीडियो का प्रभाव

4011. **श्री घन श्याम सिंह :** क्या **सूचना और प्रसारण** मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) सिनेमा उद्योग पर वीडियो फिल्मों का क्या प्रभाव पड़ा है; और

(ख) सिनेमा उद्योग पर इसके प्रतिकूल प्रभाव, यदि कोई है, पर नियंत्रण करने के लिए क्या कदम उठा जा रहे हैं?

सूचना और प्रसारण मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री अजीत पांजा) : (क) और (ख) यद्यपि वीडियो फिल्मों, जो कि एक प्रौद्योगिकी विकास है, ने फिल्म उद्योग के लिए समंजन की समस्यायें पैदा कर दी है, यह प्रतीत नहीं होता कि उद्योग किसी गम्भीर खतरे में है। कुछ भी हो, फिल्म उद्योग जो कि निजी क्षेत्र में है, को समंजन की समस्याओं के निपटने के लिए तरीके ढूंढने चाहिए।

INCAB Industries Ltd.

4012. SHRI VEERSHETTY MOGLAPPA KUSHNOOR: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the present Chairman of INCAB Industries Ltd. formerly Indian Cables Company Ltd. was proposed by the foreign collaborators;

(b) if so, what is the interest of the present Chairman in that Company and its subsidiaries held by the foreign collaborator; and

(c) whether Government, before according the approval to their proposal, examined the antecedents of the person pro-

posed for Chairmanship by the foreign collaborators?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EXPENDITURE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI B. K. GADHVI): (a) Under article 131 of the Articles of Association of the Indian Cable Company Ltd., Calcutta, British Insulated Callender's Cables Ltd. plc. (U.K.) held office as Consulting Engineers of the company by virtue of Agreement dated 28th January, 1947 and 30th October, 1951 respectively. Article 90 says that the Consulting Engineers shall be entitled to appoint up-to two directors on the Board of the company and such one of them as from time-to-time shall be named by the Consulting Engineers shall be Chairman of the Board. The present Chairman Shri K. Tapuriah (Indian) was appointed in December, 1984 as Chairman of the Company at the behest of the Consulting Engineers.

(b) The Chairman Shri Tapuriah holds 25,000 shares of Rs. 10/- each fully paid-up in the company. The company does not have any subsidiaries. The foreign collaborators viz. British Insulated Callender's Cables Ltd. plc. (U.K.) who were the original promoters of the company and who are also the Consulting Engineers hold over 26.33 per cent of the company's Equity.

(c) Since Shri Tapuriah is not a whole-time Director of the Company, approval of the Central Government under Section 269 read with other Sections of the Companies Act, is not required for his appointment as Chairman of the company. Therefore, the question of examining his antecedents also does not arise.

Promotion to Government Employees

4013. SHRI M. KADHARSHA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have accepted in principle that at least two promotions must be given to a Government employee during his entire service period;

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(c) what further steps Government propose to take for implementation of the above proposal?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRI BIREN SINGH ENGTI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

भोपाल गैस पीड़ितों के लिए राज्यों को विशेष सहायता

4014. **श्री सुरेश पचौरी :** क्या वित्त मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) क्या सरकार भोपाल गैस पीड़ितों के पुनर्वास हेतु राज्य सरकारों को ऋण के रूप में कोई विशेष सहायता दे रही है ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या राज्य सरकार ने सहायता के स्वरूप में परिवर्तन करने का सुझाव देते हुए कोई प्रस्ताव भेजा है; और

(ग) इस पर केन्द्रीय सरकार की क्या प्रतिक्रिया है ?

वित्त मंत्रालय में व्यय विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री बी० के० गढ़वी) : (क) जी, हां । भोपाल गैस पीड़ितों की राहत व पुनर्वास के प्रयोजन के लिए, मध्य प्रदेश सरकार को 55 करोड़ रुपए (40 करोड़ रुपए 1985-86 में और 15 करोड़ रुपए 1986-87 में) विशेष मध्यम कालिक गैर-योजना ऋण के रूप में दिये गए थे । ऋणों की वापसी अदायगी 5 वर्षों में की जानी थी ।

(ख) और (ग) राज्य सरकार ने केन्द्रीय सरकार से कहा कि जब तक यूनियन कारबाईड के क्षतिपूर्ति दावों पर